2010 Broadview Fire Department

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4. Emergency Medical Service/Paramedic Division	FF/PM Tracy A. Scalise
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Broadview Fire Department

Administration

Chief John H. Tierney

2010 Annual Report

March 15, 2011

To the Board of Trustees,

I am pleased to submit the annual report for the Broadview Fire Department for the year of 2010.

This past year we maintained our focus and direction to providing the best possible services for our residents, business owners and guests. While the cover letter is just a brief description of our activities and programs I ask that you take the time to read the articles, to see exactly what we do, and meet the people who make it possible. I would like to especially express my thanks to Deputy Chief Jack Kowalski for all the work he has done on this report. I would also like to thank JoAnn Ogden-D'Altorio, Assistant to the Fire Chief, for her hard work during the year and putting this annual report together.



During the year we responded to 2160 emergency calls. Of those calls; 1203 were EMS/ Rescue, which includes all ambulance, auto accidents, and industrial accident calls. We also responded to 957 fire calls. Broadview Fire Department is a member of MABAS (Mutual Aid Box Alerting System) Division 20. This agreements means we assist on calls outside the Village boundaries, and receive assistance from other communities as needed. During the past year, we were involved in 966 Mutual Aid calls; we received 450 and responded to 516.

We continued to provide fire and EMS protection to the local hospitals which include Loyol-University Medical Center, Hines VA Hospital, and J.J. Madden Mental Health Center. The services we provide are under contracts, and are being negotiated on an annual basis. We continue to maintain our good working relations with them without disrupting the services we provide our residents. For the calendar year 2010, we collected \$135,000.00, \$190,090.00 and \$24,000.00 from Loyola, Hines, and Madden respectfully, for ambulance services, totaling \$349,090.00 for services rendered.

We had an estimated \$128,000.00 in fire dollar loss this past year. This was the result of several residential and industrial fires, resulting in equipment losses and property damage.

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Administration

This past year the fire department saw one of it's longest members leave for retirement. Firefighter Russell Schoff retired after more than 35 years of service. His knowledge of the job and the department will greatly be missed. We thank him for his service and wish him well in his retirement.

Firefighter/Paramedic Tracy Scalise, continues to do an outstanding job as our Paramedic Coordinator. Her hard work has made the switch into the Loyola EMS system, a very smooth one. She is also doing a great job in getting us equipment through grants. She also is taking Fire Officer Classes which gives her a better understand of the workings of the fire department and the fire service as a whole. She has brought her knowledge back to the department to share with ours as well.

During the year we were able to hire Firefighter/Paramedic Anthony Monks. While at the Northern Illinois Public Safety Training Academy he was the class Valedictorian. During his probationary period Anthony has shown the dedication and commitment that will benefit the Broadview Fire Department.

We had a re-evaluation from Insurance Services Organization, ISO, which rates our fire department with the insurance industry. We were notified that the ISO rating for the Village of Broadview has been lowered to a 5 from a 2.

We lost significant points in the area of manpower, while also losing points in other areas as well, such as Training, Fire Protection (water supply) and Communications. But again, the major deductions came from the reduction of our manpower. I want to make clear that our Officers and Firefighters are committed to providing the best protection to the residents, business owners and visitors of Broadview. This is being done by adding additional equipment and manpower to our Box Cards by the MUTUAL AID Agreement.

Another year has gone by in which we have provided the best fire protection and emergency medical services to the people of Broadview. I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Officers and the Firefighters, who have been through a lot this past year for their continued efforts, dedication and support. They take pride in what they do and demonstrate it by the way they approach their jobs. They are truly professionals.

I would also like to thank Mayor Sherman Jones and the Board of Trustees for their continued support throughout the year. They have made a commitment to bring the Broadview Fire Department back to being one of the best in the area and the state. I look forward to working with them to achieve that goal. Stay safe.

Respectfully submitted,

Broadview Fire Department

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	NAME	TITLE	DATE OF APPOINTMENT
1.	TIERNEY, John	Fire Chief	6-1-81
2.	KOWALSKI, Jack	Deputy Chief	5-15-86
3.	GAERTNER, Thomas	Captain	5-15-86
4.	LITE, Carl	Captain	10-1-78
5.	THOMA, Ned	Captain	1-3-90
6.	ARMSTRONG, John	Lieutenant	3-1-91
7.	HOADLEY, Jonathan	Lieutenant	7-15-94
8.	KARSTENS, Scott	Inspector	1-1-87
9.	De LONG, John	Firefighter	9-1-84
10.	CANNON, James	Firefighter	1-15-88
11.	SULLIVAN, Brian	Firefighter	3-1-89
12.	MURCZEK, Steve	Firefighter/Paramedic	7-15-94
13.	MARBACH, Joseph	Firefighter/Paramedic	8-1-94
14.	BORCH, Matthew	Firefighter/Paramedic	6-1-95
15.	NYKAZA, Michael	Firefighter/Paramedic	3-1-96
16.	JOHNSON, Kelly Ann	Firefighter/Paramedic	7-13-98
17.	SCHODTLER, Nicholas	Firefighter/Paramedic	1-21-02
18.	SCALISE, Tracy	Firefighter/Paramedic	7-21-03
19.	CARLSON, Mark	Firefighter/Paramedic	11-29-08
20.	MONKS, ANTHONY	Firefighter/Paramedic	7-11-10

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